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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Andreas Gottschalk

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Group Art Unit : 3746

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action electronically mailed February 28, 2008, the Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and comments for consideration. Changes to the pending claims have been identified with underlining to indicate insertions and by strikethrough to indicate deletions.

Amendments to the claims start on page 2.

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